

ABSTRACT

5 A method for determining accuracy of a  
classifier which provides an indication of the degree  
of correctness of the classifier rather than a mere  
correct/incorrect indication. The accuracy of the  
classifier is determined by determining a set of  
categories of an arrangement of categories selected  
for an item by the classifier and determining a set  
of categories of the arrangement selected for the  
10 item by an authoritative classifier. An accuracy  
measure which indicates a degree of correctness of  
the classifier is then determined based on the  
categories selected by the classifier and the  
categories selected by the authoritative classifier.

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